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In re application of:

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Application No.: 09/726,588

Filed: December 1, 2000

For: THERMOSETTING SOLDERING FLUX AND SOLDERING PROCESS

LETTER

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated  
February 16, 2000, the following are submitted:

- [X] an executed Declaration
- [X] a translation of the specification into English
- [X] a statement that the translation is accurate
- [X] a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts
- [X] a check in the amount of \$970.00 to cover the filing fee,  
the surcharge for late filing of the translation, and the  
surcharge for late filing of the declaration
- [X] The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies in

any fees associated with this communication and to credit  
any excess payment to Deposit Account No. 50-1079. A  
duplicate copy of this letter is attached.

Respectfully submitted,



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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- The oath or declaration is missing.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The application was filed in a language other than English. Applicant is required to provide an English translation of the specification and a statement that the translation is accurate. (See 37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Applicant must file an English translation of the application, the \$ 130 fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(k), unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Because your specification was filed in a language other than English, the Office was unable to determine the number of claims submitted. Additional claim fees may be due once the number of claims can be determined.

- The balance due by applicant is \$ 970.

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